Statement

District-wise details of Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas in Andhra Pradesh

Year of establishment	No. of JNVs sanctioned	Name of the District
1986-87	04	Chittoor, Karimnagar, Nalgonda, Nizamabad
1987-88	12	Adilabad, Anantapur, Cuddapah, Prakasam, Khammam, Kurnool, Nellure, Rangareddy, Guntur, Visakhapatnam, East Godavari, Medak
1988-89	03	West Godavari, Vizianagaram, Srikakulam
1989-90	01	Krishna
1991-92	01	Warangal
1993-94	01	Mahabubnagar

Vocationalisation of Education

3215. SHRI O.P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the U.G.C. has issued a fiat to the University of Delhi directing it not to introduce any new course in its affiliated colleges for the next six years;

(b) if so, whether it will put on hold the Varsity's ambitious plan of vocationalisation of education;

(c) if so, whether it is incompatible with Government's declared policy of providing job opportunities to more and more educated youth; and

(d) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPTT. OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA): (a) According to the information furnished by the University Grants Commission, due to paucity of Plan funds, the Comission has asked the University of Delhi to desist from introducing new courses in its affiliated colleges till the end of the 8th Plan, i.e. upto 31st March '97 only.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

Construction of Talcher-Sambalpur rail line

3216. SHRIMATI JAYANTI PATNAIK: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the target date fixed for the completion of construction work of Talcher-Sambalpur line and progress as on date;

(b) the steps taken to complete that line at an early date;

(c) the steps taken to make adequate fund allocation for that line in Orissa; and

(d) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ): (a) The current target for completion of this line is 31.12.1997. The progress is 57%.

(b) Funds and materials as required to suit the above target are being provided.

(c) and (d) In the current year an amount of Rs. 50 crores has been provided for this line out of a total allocation for new line projects all over India of Rs. 220 crores.